

NH 2003 Mercury Project for Home Care Facilities



1. Do you use mercury-containing fever thermometers? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If so, how do you dispose of them?
☐ Recycle ☐ Hazardous Waste ☐ Medical Waste ☐ Solid Waste (trash/garbage)
2. How do you dispose of your fluorescent lamps?
☐ Recycle ☐ Hazardous Waste ☐ Medical Waste ☐ Solid Waste
☐ Managed by landlord. If so, do you know how they dispose of them?
☐ Recycle ☐ Hazardous Waste ☐ Medical Waste ☐ Solid Waste
3. How do you dispose of your mercury-containing sphygmomanometers (blood pressure cuffs)?
☐ Recycle ☐ Hazardous Waste ☐ Medical Waste ☐ Solid Waste ☐ Never Disposed
4. How do you dispose of these batteries?
 - a) Lithium
☐ Recycle ☐ Hazardous Waste ☐ Medical Waste ☐ Solid Waste
 - b) Nickel-cadmium (rechargeable battery)
☐ Recycle ☐ Hazardous Waste ☐ Medical Waste ☐ Solid Waste
 - c) Mercury (alkaline batteries sold before May 13, 1996)
☐ Recycle ☐ Hazardous Waste ☐ Medical Waste ☐ Solid Waste
 - d) Button Cell (may contain mercury and other hazardous substances)
☐ Recycle ☐ Hazardous Waste ☐ Medical Waste ☐ Solid Waste
5. How do you dispose mercury-containing thermostats?
☐ Recycle ☐ Hazardous Waste ☐ Medical Waste ☐ Solid Waste
☐ Managed by landlord. If so, do you know how they dispose of them?
☐ Recycle ☐ Hazardous Waste ☐ Medical Waste ☐ Solid Waste
6. Have you ever had to clean up a broken thermometer or sphygmomanometers?
☐ Yes ☐ No
7. Do you have a mercury spill procedure? ☐ Yes ☐ No
8. Are your employees trained on mercury spill procedures? ☐ Yes ☐ No
9. How do you dispose of your Cathode Ray Tubes (contain lead and mercury, found in televisions and computers)?
☐ Recycle ☐ Hazardous Waste ☐ Medical Waste ☐ Solid Waste ☐ Never Disposed

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